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In re Application of)	
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Kelsall et al)	
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Serial No. Unassigned)	Group Art Unit: Unassigned
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Filed: Concurrently)	Examiner: Unassigned
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For: METHODS OF USING CR3 AND CR4)	
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INTERLEUKIN-12 TO TREAT)	
AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE)	

**AUTHORIZATION TO TREAT REPLY REQUIRING EXTENSION OF TIME
AS INCORPORATING PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

BOX PATENT APPLICATION
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3), the Commissioner is hereby requested and authorized to treat any concurrent or future reply in the above-identified application, requiring a petition for an extension of time for its timely submission, as incorporating a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 14-0629.

Respectfully submitted,

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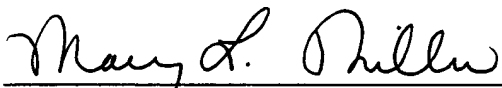


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